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PLANETARY TRANSMISSION, ESPECIALLY DUAL-CLUTCH PLANETARY TRANSMISSION

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- This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.
- 4. The US has been elected (Article 31).
- 5. A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))
 - a. u- is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).
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 is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).
- 6. An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))
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 have not been made and will not be made.
- 8.

 An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).
- An oath or declaration of the inventor (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).
- An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).

Item 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:

- 11. An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.
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 An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.
- 13. A preliminary amendment.
- 14.

 An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76.
- 15. □ A substitute specification.
- 16. □ A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.
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 A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1..821-1.825.
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